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FM AMEMBASSY SANAA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2594

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FOR A/ALS AND NEA/EX

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ALLOW, YE

SUBJ: POST DIFFERENTIAL REPORTING

REF: DEPARTMENT OM DATED AUGUST 3, 1973

1. EMBASSY REGRETS THAT DIFFERENTIAL REPORT NOW ALMOST ONE YEAR OVERDUE. SINCE WE HAVE HAD A HUNDRED PERCENT TURNOVER IN STAFF IN LAST SEVEN MONTHS, WE FRANKLY DO NOT KNOW WHY REPORT WAS NOT SUBMITTED IN 1970 OR 1972.

2. IN ADDITION EMBASSY AWARE THAT RETAIL PRICE SCHEDULE AND EDUCATION ALLOWANCE QUESTIONNAIRE ALSO OVERDUE. IN THIS RESPECT EMBASSY HAS COMMENCED SURVEY TO UPDATE RETAIL PRICE SCHEDULE. (WE WELL AWARE THAT THIS DETRIMENTAL TO POST'S INTERESTS IN VIEW MOST RECENT DOLLAR DEVALUATION WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY HAVE HAD SOME EFFECT ON COST-OF-LIVING FOR POST SEVERAL MONTHS). RECENT RECEIPT OF NOTICE THAT SCHOOL FEES WILL BE INCREASED WILL BE SUBJECT OF SEPTEL. AS NO DSP-63 FORMS AT POST, EMBASSY WILL APPRECIATE ACCEPTANCE THIS INFORMAL REPORT AT THIS TIME IN LE IN LIEU OF REQUIRED DSP-63 REPORT.

3. FURTHER, EMBASSY IN THROES OF REORGANIZING ADMINISTRATIVE PROGRAM TO PUT ON SOUND FOOTING, I.E.: PRESENT ADMIN OFFICER ON BOARD ONLY FOUR WEEKS IN POSITION WHICH HAS BEEN VACANT FOR FIVE MONTHS; WHAT FEW LOCAL EMPLOYEES ON BOARD ARE RELATIVELY UNTRAINED WITH VERY LITTLE EXPERIENCE IN OFFICE

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PROCEDURES; BASIC FILES AND RECORDS ARE IN DISORDER; AND URGENT

DEMANDS OF EXPANDING MISSION PROGRAMS HAVE THUR FAR TAKEN  
PRIORITY OVER ROUTINE OFFICE BUSINESS.

4. ABOVE IS NOT "COP-OUT," IT IS A SITUATION AS IT  
EXISTS AND WILL REQUIRE SOME MONTHS TO RECTIFY. CONSEQUENTLY,  
EMBASSY REQUESTS DEFERMENT OF 30 DAY REQUIREMENT TO SUBMIT  
REPORT AND WILL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ENSURE THAT IT IS  
SUBMITTED WITHIN NEXT 120 DAYS.  
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